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NEW SOUTH WALES												
NEW SOUTH WALES	1,581.5	145.7	8.4	72.5	1,187.5	100.3	7.8	52.2	2,769.0	246.0	8.2	62.2
Sydney Major SR	1,010.9	87.8	8.0	74.1	779.1	59.9	7.1	54.3	1,790.0	147.7	7.6	64.0
Inner Sydney and Inner Western Sydney SRs	113.3	7.0	5.8	70.9	91.9	5.9	6.1	56.6	205.2	12.9	5.9	63.7
Inner Sydney SR	72.2	* 3.5	* 4.6	72.0	62.5	* 3.7	* 5.6	61.7	134.7	7.2	5.1	66.8
Eastern Suburbs SR	64.8	3.7	5.4	74.2	52.5	* 1.5	* 2.7	53.9	117.2	5.2	4.2	63.7
St. George-Sutherland SR	124.9	6.9	5.2	73.6	88.6	5.2	5.5	55.3	213.6	12.1	5.4	64.7
Canterbury-Bankstown SR	74.1	11.0	12.9	71.0	58.2	7.1	10.8	50.4	132.2	18.1	12.0	60.3
Fairfield-Liverpool and Outer South Western												
Sydney SRs	134.4	18.4	12.0	75.1	87.5	14.6	14.3	52.0	221.9	32.9	12.9	63.7
Fairfield-Liverpool SR	72.4	14.0	16.2	72.6	46.8	9.7	17.2	49.5	119.2	23.7	16.6	61.3
Central Western Sydney SR	56.6	8.2	12.7	69.5	39.8	5.1	11.3	45.7	96.5	13.3	12.1	57.3
Outer Western Sydney SR	77.2	6.0	7.2	80.5	58.9	3.6	5.8	56.3	136.1	9.6	6.6	67.9
Blacktown-Baulkham Hills SR	97.8	10.5	9.7	80.9	73.1	6.0	7.6	58.3	170.8	16.5	8.8	69.5
Lower Northern Sydney SR	76.6	* 4.0	* 5.0	73.8	66.9	* 1.1	* 1.6	57.9	143.5	5.1	3.4	65.5
Hornsby-Ku-ring-gai SR	70.2	3.9	5.2	76.4	55.5	* 2.4	* 4.1	55.9	125.7	6.3	4.8	65.8
Northern Beaches SR	59.9	* 1.3	* 2.0	75.7	57.7	2.4	4.0	57.6	117.6	3.6	3.0	65.5
Gosford-Wyong SR	61.2	7.1	10.4	67.3	48.6	5.1	9.5	50.0	109.7	12.2	10.0	58.4
Balance of New South Wales Major SR	570.6	57.9	9.2	69.8	408.4	40.4	9.0	48.7	979.0	98.3	9.1	59.1
Hunter SR	126.1	14.0	10.0	69.3	84.7	12.6	13.0	46.3	210.8	26.6	11.2	57.5
Newcastle SR Sector	103.9	13.0	11.2	67.3	71.0	12.3	14.7	45.2	175.0	25.3	12.6	55.9
Illawarra and South Eastern SRs	141.8	13.7	8.8	68.1	104.0	11.8	10.2	47.4	245.8	25.5	9.4	57.4
Illawarra Statistical Region	97.1	10.1	9.4	67.1	66.1	8.0	10.8	44.7	163.2	18.1	10.0	55.7
Wollongong SR Sector	73.4	6.2	7.7	69.3	48.8	6.0	10.9	45.1	122.2	12.1	9.0	56.9
Richmond-Tweed and Mid-North Coast SRs	91.9	15.5	14.4	63.2	73.1	8.9	10.9	46.7	165.1	24.4	12.9	54.9
Northern, Far West-North Western and												
Central West SRs	125.1	9.5	7.0	74.8	92.4	* 3.8	* 4.0	52.9	217.6	13.3	5.8	63.8
Murray-Murrumbidgee SR	81.0	* 4.8	* 5.6	76.4	51.7	* 3.2	* 5.9	54.5	132.7	8.1	5.7	66.0

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VICTORIA												
VICTORIA	1,174.3	117.2	9.1	73.6	894.3	90.1	9.1	53.8	2,068.7	207.3	9.1	63.5
Melbourne Major SR	845.2	82.7	8.9	73.5	661.4	65.4	9.0	54.9	1,506.6	148.1	9.0	64.0
North Western Melbourne SR	71.1	7.0	9.0	78.5	56.1	6.5	10.3	56.7	127.2	13.5	9.6	67.0
Outer Western Melbourne SR	116.0	17.4	13.1	70.5	93.1	12.6	11.9	52.4	209.1	30.0	12.5	61.1
Inner Melbourne SR	58.7	7.9	11.8	71.8	49.8	4.1	7.6	60.4	108.5	12.0	9.9	66.2
North Eastern Melbourne SR	109.1	12.8	10.5	75.4	79.7	9.2	10.3	53.6	188.8	22.0	10.4	64.4
Inner Eastern Melbourne SR	112.6	8.9	7.3	71.7	98.5	7.8	7.4	55.3	211.2	16.7	7.3	63.0
Southern Melbourne SR	94.8	7.9	7.7	72.9	81.8	6.9	7.7	56.7	176.6	14.7	7.7	64.3
Outer Eastern Melbourne SR	140.7	7.4	5.0	79.2	100.5	5.2	5.0	56.3	241.2	12.7	5.0	67.7
South Eastern Melbourne SR	94.6	9.0	8.7	76.7	68.9	8.8	11.3	58.1	163.4	17.8	9.8	67.4
Mornington Peninsula SR	47.6	4.5	8.6	60.2	33.0	4.3	11.6	43.3	80.6	8.8	9.8	51.7
Balance of Victoria Major SR	329.2	34.5	9.5	74.0	232.9	24.7	9.6	51.0	562.1	59.2	9.5	62.3
Barwon-Western District SR	92.9	11.6	11.1	76.2	72.4	8.4	10.4	56.4	165.4	20.0	10.8	66.0
Central Highlands-Wimmera SR	46.1	5.8	11.1	72.0	36.8	* 3.8	* 9.4	49.4	82.9	9.6	10.4	59.9
Loddon-Campaspe-Mallee SR	62.9	5.3	7.8	70.9	35.5	* 3.2	* 8.3	41.7	98.4	8.6	8.0	56.6
Goulburn-Ovens-Murray SR	69.2	6.0	8.0	75.1	51.6	* 3.5	* 6.3	56.4	120.9	9.5	7.3	65.9
All Gippsland SR	58.0	5.7	9.0	74.2	36.5	5.8	13.7	47.4	94.5	11.5	10.8	60.5
QUEENSLAND												
QUEENSLAND	876.2	92.9	9.6	75.2	639.0	69.8	9.8	54.0	1,515.2	162.7	9.7	64.5
Brisbane Major SR	402.2	42.9	9.6	76.2	312.9	30.8	9.0	56.5	715.1	73.7	9.3	66.2
Brisbane City Inner Ring SR	96.9	9.4	8.9	73.1	77.6	5.5	6.6	56.0	174.5	14.9	7.9	64.5
Brisbane City Outer Ring SR	119.5	11.7	8.9	74.9	106.2	8.8	7.7	59.3	225.7	20.5	8.3	66.7
South and East BSD Balance SR	77.7	7.2	8.5	79.7	54.8	6.8	11.0	58.8	132.5	14.0	9.5	69.3
North and West BSD Balance SR	108.1	14.6	11.9	78.1	74.3	9.7	11.5	52.1	182.4	24.3	11.7	64.9
Balance of Queensland Major SR	474.0	50.0	9.5	74.4	326.1	39.0	10.7	51.9	800.1	89.0	10.0	63.1
South and East Moreton Statistical Region	88.3	10.0	10.1	72.0	72.7	5.4	6.9	56.1	161.0	15.3	8.7	64.0
North and West Moreton Statistical Region	60.6	8.5	12.2	69.9	44.5	6.0	11.8	46.4	105.2	14.4	12.1	57.6
Wide Bay — Burnett Statistical Region	59.1	10.4	15.0	70.6	37.2	6.8	15.4	46.4	96.3	17.2	15.2	58.7
Darling Downs-South West Statistical Region	62.9	4.4	6.6	77.7	39.3	* 2.8	* 6.7	47.3	102.2	7.3	6.6	62.3
Mackay-Fitzroy-Central West Statistical Region	82.4	6.9	7.7	76.0	49.5	9.3	15.8	51.3	131.9	16.2	10.9	63.8
Northern-North West Statistical Region	56.2	6.1	9.8	75.1	36.8	4.6	11.1	51.9	93.0	10.7	10.3	63.7
Far North Statistical Region	64.4	3.7	5.5	81.5	46.1	4.2	8.3	64.6	110.5	7.9	6.7	73.3

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SOUTH AUSTRALIA												
SOUTH AUSTRALIA	371.1	42.3	10.2	71.7	290.2	27.0	8.5	53.0	661.3	69.3	9.5	62.2
Adelaide Major Statistical Region	265.8	34.0	11.3	70.6	218.6	20.4	8.5	53.1	484.5	54.4	10.1	61.6
Northern Adelaide Statistical Region	87.1	12.8	12.8	77.5	72.3	6.7	8.5	57.6	159.4	19.6	10.9	67.2
Western Adelaide Statistical Region	44.6	6.8	13.2	61.5	37.6	3.2	7.8	48.2	82.2	10.0	10.8	54.8
Eastern Adelaide Statistical Region	52.9	4.4	7.7	66.0	44.7	3.6	7.5	51.2	97.5	8.0	7.6	58.3
Southern Adelaide Statistical Region	81.3	10.0	10.9	72.8	64.1	6.8	9.7	53.1	145.3	16.8	10.4	62.6
Balance of South Australia Major SR	105.3	8.3	7.3	74.6	71.6	6.6	8.4	52.7	176.9	14.9	7.8	63.8
Northern and Western SA Statistical Region	40.8	4.4	9.8	74.0	27.3	3.3	10.7	51.6	68.1	7.7	10.2	63.0
Southern and Eastern SA Statistical Region	64.5	3.9	5.7	75.0	44.3	3.3	7.0	53.5	108.8	7.2	6.2	64.4
WESTERN AUSTRALIA												
WESTERN AUSTRALIA	476.7	39.5	7.7	76.0	349.6	24.4	6.5	54.5	826.2	64.0	7.2	65.2
Perth Major Statistical Region	337.4	30.5	8.3	74.4	257.0	19.0	6.9	53.5	594.4	49.5	7.7	63.7
Central Metropolitan Statistical Region	39.6	3.1	7.2	69.1	29.2	* 1.4	* 4.5	48.7	68.8	4.4	6.0	58.8
East Metropolitan Statistical Region	54.6	3.7	6.3	76.0	42.8	2.6	5.7	57.5	97.4	6.3	6.1	66.6
North Metropolitan Statistical Region	103.0	11.0	9.7	76.1	77.1	5.8	7.0	53.1	180.1	16.9	8.6	64.4
South West Metropolitan Statistical Region	65.6	6.6	9.2	72.8	48.8	4.1	7.8	49.7	114.5	10.8	8.6	60.8
South East Metropolitan Statistical Region	74.6	6.1	7.5	75.6	59.0	5.0	7.9	57.3	133.6	11.1	7.7	66.3
Balance of Western Australia Major SR	139.3	9.1	6.1	80.1	92.6	5.5	5.6	57.8	231.8	14.5	5.9	69.4
Lower Western WA Statistical Region	68.8	5.5	7.4	76.0	46.1	3.7	7.5	53.4	114.9	9.2	7.4	65.0
Remainder — Balance WA Statistical Region	70.4	3.5	4.8	84.6	46.5	* 1.7	* 3.6	63.1	116.9	5.3	4.3	74.6
TASMANIA												
TASMANIA	116.1	14.2	10.9	71.9	86.7	7.7	8.1	50.4	202.7	21.9	9.7	61.0
Greater Hobart-Southern SR Sector	56.6	6.6	10.5	70.9	44.3	3.5	7.3	50.9	100.9	10.1	9.1	60.6
Greater Hobart Statistical Division	46.6	5.6	10.7	70.5	37.3	3.1	7.6	51.4	83.9	8.6	9.3	60.6
Northern Statistical Region Sector	32.2	4.6	12.4	73.6	25.2	2.1	7.8	53.0	57.4	6.7	10.5	63.2
Mersey-Lyell Statistical Region Sector	27.3	3.0	9.8	72.2	17.2	2.1	10.7	46.0	44.5	5.0	10.1	59.1
NORTHERN TERRITORY												
NORTHERN TERRITORY	44.1	3.0	6.4	74.1	36.8	4.0	9.8	65.9	80.9	7.0	8.0	70.0
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY												
AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY	82.9	8.0	8.8	79.9	70.9	6.9	8.9	65.7	153.7	14.8	8.8	72.6
AUSTRALIA												
AUSTRALIA	4,722.9	462.8	8.9	73.7	3,555.0	330.1	8.5	53.5	8,277.8	793.0	8.7	63.4

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